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# THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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THE WEATHER  
Generally fair tonight and Friday.  
Rising temperature Friday.

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1924.

TWO CENTS

## ONE KILLED, ONE HURT, AUTO ACCIDENT AT COUNTY SEAT

### POLICE LOOKING FOR BOBBED HAIR BANDIT

Two-Gun Girl Walks Into a Shop, Backs Proprietor Against Wall And Abstracts \$60 From His Pockets

#### BANDITS ARE VERY ACTIVE

Greater New York Scene of Much Crime—Payroll Guards Shot And Wounded In Unsuccessful Effort to Seize \$2700 Pay Envelope

New York, May 22.—Brooklyn police were after a new bobbed hair bandit today.

Louis Saxt described her as a determined, two-gun girl who walked into his shop, jerked a pair of wicked blue automatic pistols from her handbag, backed him to the wall, and took \$60 from his pockets.

"She gave me back \$5," Saxt said, "when I pleaded that I must have something to send my wife and babies in Russia."

The girl then walked leisurely from his shop, Saxt said, after warning him not to move for five minutes. She took the key and locked the door as she departed.

Saxt hurried out a rear door and got the butcher next door to open the front entrance to his shop and then reported the robbery to the police.

Bandits were active all over Greater New York.

Two payroll guards were shot and wounded in an unsuccessful effort to seize \$2700 in pay envelopes of the Reachtut Foll Company.

A policeman shot and killed a young bandit in Elmhurst.

Two men walked into a phonograph shop in the Bowery in daylight and looted the cash register.

One group of bandits got \$430 from a Third Avenue elevated station and others got \$1200 from two stations on the Lexington Avenue subway in Astoria, Long Island, an interborough subway agent was robbed of \$175.

The bandits drive on ticket booths of the transportation lines sent many alarms into police headquarters and the department placed uniformed guards at all principal stations until daylight.

#### CHANGES HIS PLEA; SAME IS ACCEPTED

Pittsburgh, May 22.—Michael Norton, alias Burke, the third time to go on trial on a charge of murder as a result of the riot in the Western penitentiary last February, changed his plea from guilty to not guilty at criminal court and the plea was accepted.

Norton was remanded to the Allegheny County jail and the court will fix the degree of the crime and pronounce sentence later.

## LOCAL MAN INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

The Zollars, owner and driver of a Willys-Knight automobile, collided with an iron telephone pole near the Sphar farm at 4:30 o'clock this morning. Mr. Zollars, with a companion, was north-bound. Zollars, who lives in North Charleroi, escaped injury, but his companion, who lives in the hill district of Charleroi, had his cheek cut, a finger cut, and an eye bruised. His injuries, not serious, were treated by Dr. A. S. Sickman. The machine was badly wrecked. The injured man is Charles McMillan. Zollars and his companion claimed that they were not driving fast—probably 15 miles an hour, but Burgess John Hatfield of Speers holds to a different opinion.

#### HAVING TROUBLE TO SELECT JURY IN HOFFMAN CASE

St. George, Staten Island, May 22.—

on a twelfth juror for the trial of Harry Hoffman, sleek-haired motion picture operator, charged with the murder of Mrs. Maud Bauer, March 25.

Four jury panels aggregating 400 talesmen have been exhausted in an attempt to select the jury. A fifth panel will be called today.

Twice yesterday the jury box was filled, but challenges by attorneys necessitated further questioning. Most of the talesmen have been excused because they did not favor capital punishment.

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## Practical Arts Institute Receives Gift Of Fine Coal Land

#### WILL GO TO SCRANTON BY AUTOMOBILE

G. L. Katz said yesterday that with Mrs. Katz, he will go to Scranton by "automobile express" Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Katz will spend Saturday night in Harrisburg. Their household goods will be shipped to their new home in Scranton in about a month.

#### HAROLD LLOYD IS A FATHER TODAY

Hollywood, California, May 22.—Harold Lloyd joined the ranks of happy fathers today.

Mr. Lloyd, known on the screen as Harold Davis, gave birth to a bouncing daughter in a hospital.

## NEW POLICEMAN FOR THE CITY

R. William Hughes of Clairton was sworn in Tuesday night as a patrolman at Monongahela. He took the oath of office before Mayor H. T. Bickel, and formally began his duties today.

Mr. Hughes will shortly remove his family to Monongahela. He was born and reared in Monongahela, and secured the appointment over a score of applicants. He takes the place of William Ford, and later may be made motorcycle policeman.

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#### CONDITION IS GOOD; NOT OUT OF DANGER

Frank Stetz's condition was reported at the local hospital as quite satisfactory this morning; he is better than he was yesterday, it was said. However, the boy is not out of danger. He was run over by a freight train, requiring the amputation of his left leg below the knee.

#### CIGARETTES AT LOW PRICES

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## Adopt Budget; Millage 32, Same As Last Year

At its meeting Tuesday night the Charleroi Board of Education adopted its budget and fixed the millage the same as last year—32 mills.

Miss Elizabeth Buchele, who has been the domestic science teacher in the schools for the past four years, and goes to New Kensington High School; James T. Paul, teacher in mathematics, elected as supervising principal of the Luzerne township schools, Fayette county, and who has been engaged with the Charleroi schools for a period of one year; and Miss Martha Taggart, primary teacher in the Crest Avenue schools.

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**NOTICE.**  
Anyone having a kitchen cupboard for sale cheap or donation to the Red Cross, leave name and address at 490 Mail office. 29317

John S. Patton, of Rostraver township, Westmoreland county, has donated to the Institute of Practical Arts at Old Concord, the coal and mine rights to 100 acres of coal situated in Doregal and West Finley townships, this county. The coal involved in the gift is located just next to the Con Island operations and is a very valuable tract.

Mr. Patton, the donor, is a brother of the late Rev. Joseph G. Patton of Washington, and the late Dr. N. W. Patton of Charleroi, and an uncle of Captain Edwin Patton of this place. He is much interested in the work of the Institute of Practical Arts and the money derived from the coal will go to the permanent endowment of the institution.

The institute is just now completing its third year of work and although handicapped for funds has been doing most excellent service. Pupils most of them of foreign birth or of foreign parentage, are being taught the fundamentals of American civilization and being given training in practical trades. This gift will add materially in helping the school to meet the object for which it was established.

#### LAMBS GAP, MURDER SCENE, A LOVERS' TRYSTING PLACE

Marysville, Pa., May 22.—"That Lambs Gap, scene of the double murder mystery, was a lovers' trysting place, as contended by inhabitants, engaged state police in their investigation today.

Two notes were found under a rock near the place where Harry Gansner and Leah Ellenberger, his sweetheart, were murdered.

Victor Fenical, in the presence of Dr. George Gault, Marysville physician, found the notes while searching for the shell of the fatal bullet. One was in a man's and the other a woman's handwriting.

The notes were turned over to state police. They have held persistent to the belief that a moonshiner did the killing. The handwriting of each note was being studied.

It is possible, according to the police, the notes were placed under the rock by lovers who had nothing to do with the murder.

Another fanciful theory is that the notes were placed there by a local resident who was supposed to have gone to Lambs Gap to lie in wait for his wife and a man with whom she was said to have a clandestine love affair. The enraged husband is alleged to have shot the couple in mis- taken identity.

The husband, according to the story, knew they had a car similar to the one driven by Canster and his sweetheart. The police spent half a day

## CRASH INTO STEEL POLE IN LOSING GRIP

Washington, Pa., May 22.—W. T. Burt, 45, vice president of the Wheeling Steel Corporation, Wheeling, W. Va., was instantly killed today when he crashed into a steel pole on East Maiden street here today.

Burt, owner of the car, was seriously injured when an automobile in which they were riding crashed into a steel pole on East Maiden street here today.

## BUY PICNIC TICKETS "NOW"

Tickets will be on sale tomorrow at all the school buildings for the amusements at Kenneywood Park, for the Charleroi Community picnic on June 11. Arrangements have been made with all the teachers of the schools of Charleroi to handle these tickets and any school child can purchase them from the teacher of any room. The tickets will sell for 30 cents a strip, and will be good for amusements as designated on the tickets. Each ticket is good for 65 cents worth of amusement. In addition, a free ticket, worth 10 cents, will be given each child making a purchase of one of the 30-cent strips. As many strips as desired can be purchased, and a free ticket will be given with each one.

It will be to the advantage of those who are going to the picnic to buy these tickets now, as they will not be available at the park, at this price. It is through a special arrangement with the park management that the committee is able to make this special reduction at this time.

#### TRYING TO BUILD DEFENSE FOR MAN ACCUSED OF ARSON

NEW YORK, N. Y., 22.—Attorneys today will attempt to build up a defense for William S. Ford who is charged with setting fire to a house in Brooklyn in which his father-in-law, George S. Keim and five others were burned to death October 15.

They must refute the testimony of Raymond Anderson, the "bad boy" of his neighborhood in Brooklyn. Anderson, 22, is also charged with murder in connection with the crimes.

Carelessly and a little naively the round-faced youth took the stand and told how "Mr. Ford," as he refers to the Brooklyn business man, attempted to get him to "sock old Keim."

He refused, but he and his partner did borrow the Ford motor car on the pretext of "running down Keim" and then took their girls out joy-riding. Several times this happened until the car broke down.

Anderson then testified, somewhat of a grin on his face, that Ford drove him to the Keim house one night. Ford and another man threw oil about the entire place and soon the building was in flames.

None of the six residents of the frame house escaped.

Anderson said Ford has asked him "5,000 times" to kill Keim. This brought a ripple of laughter from the spectators as did many other of Anderson's tart replies. His "girl," a Brooklyn telephone operator, said and giggled at many of the "bad boy's" answers.

It is probable Ford will not be placed on the stand to testify in his own defense.

**NOTICE.**  
The party who stole articles of clothing and watch from the First Christian church are known, and if they return what was taken, they will not be prosecuted. 29612p

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running down this clue, only to find it led them nowhere.

## 'Wear A Poppy' On Saturday May 24

"Wear a poppy" is the slogan for every patriotic citizen this year in Charleroi and neighboring towns.

tion of war, and the Legion is still enlisting aid for the needy. Ex-service men who find themselves in financial difficulties, due to sickness and misfortune, oftentimes temporary relief is necessary and needed.

A relief fund for ex-service men is created each year by the sale of poppies through the Ladies' auxiliary of the American Legion. The poppies are manufactured by ex-service men of this country, and those to be sold here are made in Pittsburgh by disabled veterans. A double service is rendered by the purchase of poppies. Aid to the disabled in their occupation, remembering the past, contribute to the worthy, and wear a "Poppy on Saturday, May 24."

Chicken and Waffle Supper. Gader Inn, Every Thursday. 29711p

## Family And Their Guest Have Narrow Escape By Asphyxiation

Their home filled with the fumes of burned gas, the entire family of Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich, 68 Victoria street, Washington, and a young woman guest at the Goodrich home overnight, Miss Jessie Mitnell, had a narrow escape from death from asphyxiation Tuesday night.

Yesterday the two daughters, Margaret and Lorena, were confined to their beds, having both collapsed from breathing the poisonous fumes. Miss Mitchell of North Franklin street, Washington, who has been the guest of Miss Margaret Goodrich, went to her home, suffering from a severe headache and was unable to go to school. Mrs. Goodrich also was ill yesterday, being dizzy and suffering from headache.

The ringing of the telephone bell shortly after 6 a. m. yesterday aroused Mrs. Goodrich, and the moment she awoke she smelled the burned gas. When she got up she found herself dizzy and faint. She managed to get to the phone, but was not her normal self. Her husband who was also awakened did not seem to have been so much affected by the fumes.

The younger of the daughters was awakened about the same time got up, and as she started into the hall to get to her room, fell in a faint on the floor. The mother seeing the younger daughter was ill, called to the older daughter. She also, when she tried to get up, found she was ill. She managed to get down stairs, but as she reached the kitchen, she collapsed and fell in a faint on the floor.

Mr. Goodrich carried the younger girl out on the porch into the fresh air, while neighbors, who had been summoned, partly revived the older daughter. The condition of both girls for a time was serious. A physician was called and he at once diagnosed their condition as due to burned gas fumes. He ordered them to be taken to the hospital, and to be given plenty of air. They were reported better during the morning but very weak and suffering from severe headache. Mrs. Goodrich and Miss Mitchell, after the excitement was over realized that they too had absorbed a big dose of the fumes, and both felt very much the effects.

The fumes came from gas left burning in the oven of a kitchen stove. The stove is not connected with a chimney. The upstairs of the house was saturated with the fumes, and the downstairs was well filled. A few hours more and the entire family might have been overcome.

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## JURY IN A CASE IS DEADLOCKED

#### CHILD MAY STAY AT HOME TO AID SICK MOTHER

Press)—Reversing the decision of the state department of public instruction, and a local magistrate, Judge Fidler, in a decision which may have state-wide effect if upheld, has said in effect that a child remaining from school or a violator of the school attendance law.

A 13 year old daughter of William Muford was absent from school four days in April and her excuse was that she had been compelled to nurse her mother who had been ill in bed with no one to look after her. Fairview township school district declined to recognize the excuse, and it was backed by the department of public instruction. The father was found guilty and fined.

On the father's appeal Judge Fidler remitted the fine and reversed the decision.

#### MASKED MEN TERRORIZE FOLK AND LOOT HOMES

Springdale, Pa., May 22.—Several masked and armed bandits descended on the small mining hamlet of Barkling, near here, last night, forced entrance into nine homes and terrorized the occupants with threats of death, and ransacked the dwellings, according to a report made to authorities today.

The burglars went from one home to another, aroused the occupants, who, fearing death, offered no resistance, and pillaged trunks and bureau drawers in search of loot. Money and valuables estimated worth several thousand dollars was taken, it was reported.

#### BAKE SALE

The Boy Scouts of Community Troop No. 1 will hold a bake sale Saturday afternoon, May 21. Home made pies, cakes, bread and candy will be on sale. Anyone wishing to donate call Bell Phone 74-J and a list will be sent after the article. Place of sale announced later. 29549p

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## LESLIE GROUP WINS; ALLEGHENY COUNTY

#### DEATH OF A LOCK 4 BABE

Anita Polacci, 2-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ugo Polacci of 416 Highland Avenue, North Charleroi, died last night at 10 o'clock, following a lingering illness.

Funeral services took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in the Calvary cemetery.

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Evidence Completed And Given to the Jury About 10:30 Yesterday Morning; No Agreement At 4:30 P. M. the Afternoon

#### ONE CASE ON THE LIST

That of J. H. Chamberlain Against W. A. Marshall, And It Will Be Called Today—Bank Suit Against a Borough, Will Be Heard Later

In common pleas court the suit of J. M. Purcell, of Donora, against W. H. Beck, of Elizabeth, is with the jury. It was completed and given the jury about 10:30 yesterday morning and when court adjourned at 4:30 last evening no agreement had yet been reached. On trial before Judge Brownson when court adjourned was the case of Clyde T. Lewis, of Donora, real estate broker, against James A. Weddell and others, an action involving a claim for commission for securing a purchaser for a farm in Carroll township. The testimony is all in and arguments will be made today.

There remains but one case on this week's list. It is that of J. H. Chamberlain against W. A. Marshall and will be called today. The suit of the Peoples Bank of Marianna against the borough of Marianna, set for this week, will be heard some time later before the court without a jury. There is, it is understood, a question of law involved. The suit is based on a judgment for \$2100, secured by a note, due the bank from the borough. The suits of Martha E. Qualk et al., vs. John R. Powers' Sons, Joseph E. Gody vs. Yale Smith, and W. H. Hickman vs. Sam Konigsberg have been continued. The suit of William Irvin Vester, executor, against the school district of North Franklin township has been settled.

In the suit of Catherine Manol and Joan Manol, her husband, against the Pittsburgh Railways Co., a verdict was taken by agreement in favor of the plaintiff for \$900. Mrs. Manol was injured as she was getting off an interurban car in East Canonsburg, when one of the sliding doors was closed on her.

In the suit of Fred Mitchell, of McDonald, against Peter Skrupa, of Buhlger, a claim for damages for personal injuries suffered in an auto collision on the Midway improved road a compulsory non-suit was granted against the plaintiff.

#### JURY STILL HANGING ON MONESSEN MURDER CASE

Greensburg, Pa., May 22.—The jury in the case of the commonwealth vs. William Hinton, colored, of Monessen, charged with the murder of his wife, Mary, at their home, January 12, is setting a record for endurance. At 11:20 today the jury had been deliberating on the evidence for 25 hours. It was alleged by the commonwealth last January he chopped his wife to death with a hatchet, following a quarrel.

**Square Dance.**  
Little Cone Island. Dunlevy, Pa. Every Thursday Night. 29531p

Pittsburgh, May 22.—Samuel H. Topley, of Allegheny, was elected chairman of the Allegheny County Republican committee early today after one of the hardest fought contests for a party office ever held in the county.

Mrs. A. G. H. Frazier, Pittsburgh, was elected vice chairman, and S. J. Topley, East McKeesport, treasurer. The battle for the county offices was between the Oliver-Leslie factions, in which the Leslie group finally won control of the county public organization.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Play At Scottdale Saturday; To West Virginia On Sunday

While Charleroi can't play ball at home owing to the machinations—or something, of one Jupiter Pluvius, they have been able to play the national game away. On Saturday they go to Scottdale to play the crack aggregation of that place, and on Sunday they will hit Collier, West Virginia, for a game.

Both these contests will try the skill of the Charleroi players—particularly, the Collier, West Virginia game, as Collier has one of the best teams in that state.

It is possible that Manager D. Clevelanders will again try to stage a contest here next week, or he may await the coming of Memorial day for a double-header with some crack club. It is reported that Charleroi will play the club scheduled for yesterday—the Richard Kellys of Pittsburgh here next Wednesday evening at 8:30.

THE BELIEF EXISTS THAT JACK DEMPSEY MAY MEET WILLS THIS FIGHT TO SHATTER ALL RECORDS THOUGHT

New York, May 22—Tex Rickard has not given up the chase for the pouting Luis Firpo. Negotiations have been resumed with the South American champion and Rickard is waiting for an answer to his latest proposition.

Rickard admitted today that he had been in communication again with Juan Homs, his outh American agent, and that he had gone after Firpo again after receiving a tip from Homs that Firpo was receptive.

"I sent Homs a cable yesterday and I think that I'll have something interesting to announce in a few days. I don't care to say anything until I have something definite to go on," he said.

After announcing that he had given up Firpo as a dead actor, had called Homs home and had signed Homs to meet Dempsey in September, the reopening of negotiations with Firpo caused speculation today.

Rickard's actions were taken by some as confirmation of the report that the Dempsey Wills fight never will be staged and that Rickard used the Wills threat merely to club Firpo into line and to show him that he wasn't the only one big enough to draw a house with the champion. Rickard may have used the Dempsey-Wills announcement merely as a ploy to get the feeling of the public on the mixed match.

Others believe, however, that Rickard in going after Firpo again is merely taking precautions not to be left in the hole if anything should happen to the Dempsey-Wills fight. It is recalled also that Rickard has a contract calling for three fights from Wills and if he got Firpo he could

GIANTS AND PIRATES STAGE SWATFEST; NEW YORK VICTORS

The New York Giants and the Pirates staged a battle at Forbes Field yesterday afternoon in which each tried to outdo the other as swatters supreme. New York made 16 hits and the Pirates 15 bingles, but the Pittsburgh team was beaten 10-8 in one of the most hectic struggles ever seen on Forbes Field.

Ray Kremer, the Pacific coast phenomenon, was hit pretty freely by the Giants; but for that matter all pitchers looked alike to the players of both aggregations.

The Brooklyn club will play in Pittsburgh today.

This morning finds a change in the National League standing, the Chicago Cubs, considered by some as being the best team in the race, being in the lead, by virtue of the victory which Brooklyn gained over Cincinnati, and in which Osborne, a Cub discard, twirled for Brooklyn.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

|              | W  | L  | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Chicago      | 19 | 14 | .573 |
| Cincinnati   | 16 | 12 | .571 |
| New York     | 17 | 13 | .567 |
| Brooklyn     | 15 | 14 | .517 |
| Boston       | 12 | 17 | .410 |
| Pittsburgh   | 14 | 16 | .467 |
| St. Louis    | 12 | 16 | .429 |
| Philadelphia | 9  | 15 | .369 |

GAMES TODAY

Brooklyn at Forbes Field.  
New York at Cincinnati.  
Philadelphia at St. Louis.  
Boston at Chicago.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Yesterday's Results

|         |    |   |   |
|---------|----|---|---|
| Boston  | 10 | 7 | 5 |
| Detroit | 10 | 7 | 5 |

All other games postponed, rain.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

|              | W  | L  | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| New York     | 16 | 9  | .640 |
| Boston       | 16 | 10 | .615 |
| St. Louis    | 15 | 11 | .577 |
| Detroit      | 14 | 14 | .500 |
| Cleveland    | 12 | 13 | .480 |
| Chicago      | 11 | 14 | .440 |
| Washington   | 12 | 15 | .444 |
| Philadelphia | 8  | 18 | .308 |

GAMES TODAY

Detroit at Boston.  
Chicago at Philadelphia.  
Cleveland at New York.  
St. Louis at Washington.

An Athlete Is Only As Good As His Feet

By William M. Schell, M. D., Famous Foot Hygienist of Chicago Editor of "The Foot Specialist."

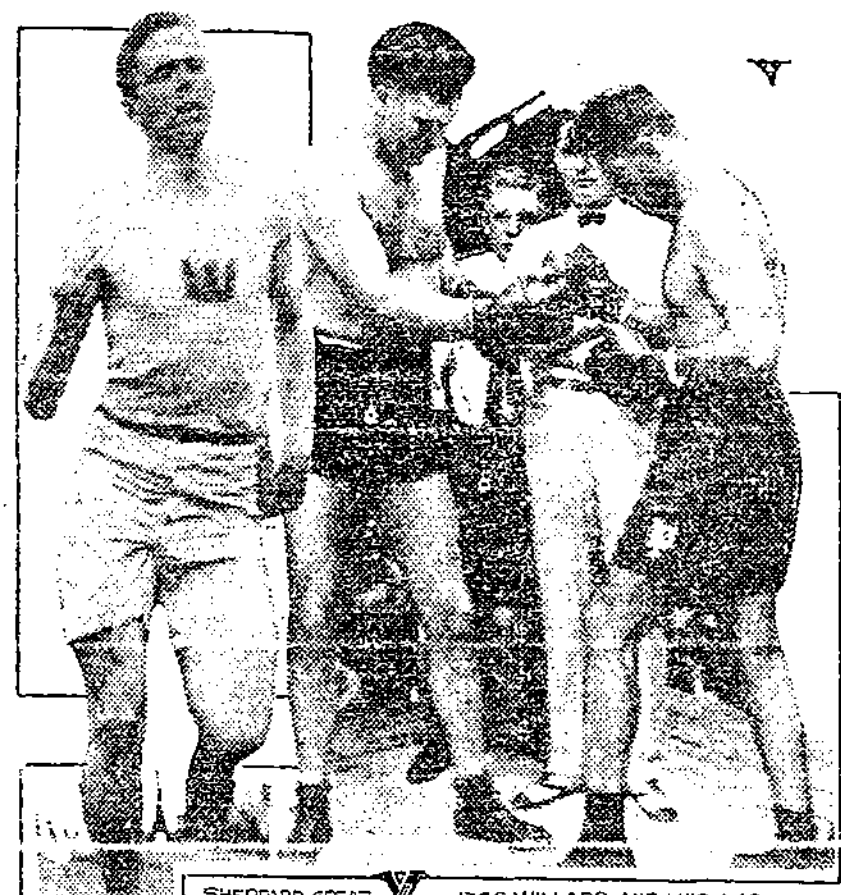
An athlete is only as good as his feet. When they fail him in a crucial contest he soon drops from his pre-eminence in the world of sport to some minor league or circuit, or else is obliged to cease professional athletics entirely. Jess Willard, the prize fighter, is regarded by many a physical marvel to have been able and willing at the age of thirty-eight or forty to engage in the ring with formidable contenders for world's championship pugilistic title. But it was said at the time that Willard's feet failed him in his match with Luis Angel Firpo, the Argentine fighter. His legs became very weary in eluding the furious onrushes of his competitor, and according to the sport writers of the time, his "foot work slowed up."

The incident shows the relation of the powerful muscles of the leg to the foot, for the leg muscles direct the more powerful foot movements, and if these muscles grow weary, and fail to respond to the urge of the brain the end of the fight is at hand.

Tennis players, heroes of the diamond and gridiron, and soldier on the field are no better than their feet. A prominent sporting writer has said that in the memorable world's series last year the feet of one of the Giants stars failed him at the zenith of his brilliant career.

As a soldier, too, is no better than his feet. The U. S. War Dept. in its book, "Defects in Drafted Men," published several years after the war, says: "An army has to go on its feet and its capacity for going is limited by the capacity of the feet of the men to function." A breaking down of the arches of the foot, flat foot, is the commonest cause of disfunction, and, therefore, the most serious single obstacle in the formation of an effective army from men in civil life.

The modern prize fighter does a



SHEPHERD GREAT, BRITISH RUNNER, NOTICE POWERFUL LEG MUSCLES.

JESS WILLARD AND LUIS ANGEL FIRPO JUST BEFORE THEIR MATCH.

lot of foot and leg training, such as skipping the rope, and taking country runs. His "foot work" in the ring is evidently an important factor both in eluding and attacking his opponent. Watch pictures of Jack Dempsey in action and notice what an important part his foot work plays.

A man with poor feet is handicapped in any walk of life. No matter how willing his spirit, he is giving his competitors a big start. The Pueblo Indians of New Mexico, although lacking the muscular development of the white man, have runners who will cover fifty miles at a stretch. "Tenderfeet" was a name applied in the West to newcomers whose feet could not stand the long marches

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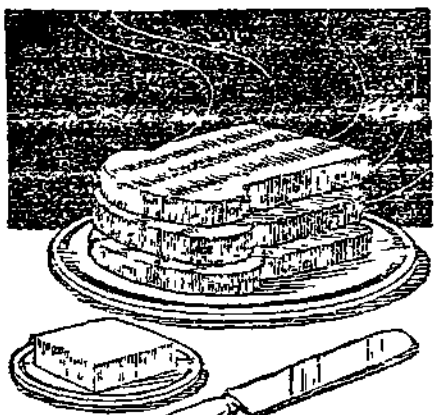
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## The Head of The Army



EVANGELINE BOOTH IN OLD RAGS

Miss Evangeline Booth, National Commander of the Salvation Army, dressed in the rags she wore when she was a missionary at the age of eighteen. In this costume she recently made her dramatic appeal at the Metropolitan Opera House for funds for the "Army."

## Mary and Doug



LOOK WHO'S HERE

Douglas Fairbanks, and Mary Pickford, known to every American movie fan, are here seen with two little tots in the West London Hospital, where Doug and Mary started the £5000 drive to provide an X-ray Department in the Hospital for the needy. We notice that Doug feels quite at home with the youngster, as does "Our Mary."

## A Diplomatic Wedding



MISS CORNELIA VANDERBILT WEDS BRITISH DIPLOMAT

Photo shows bride and groom leaving All Souls Episcopal Church, Baltimore, North Carolina, after the wedding recently of Miss Cornelia Vanderbilt, of New York, Washington and Baltimore, and the Hon. John Francis Amherst Cecil, former first Secretary of the British Embassy at Washington. The bridegroom is a son of Lord William Cecil, C. V. O., and of the Baroness Amherst of Hackney. He has resigned from the Diplomatic Service and will make his home, with his bride, in Baltimore House, the palatial country estate left her by her late father. The list of guests included socially prominent personages from all parts of the country and from England. The bride's gown of white satin was made on very straight lines, with long sleeves and round neck and entirely without trimming. Her veil was an exquisite bit of rose point lace over a longer veil of tulle, four yards long. She carried white orchids and lilies of the valley.

## Bronze Statue Mystery to Pioneer of Oregon Trail

"It's a small world after all," said Ezra Meeker, oldest living pioneer of the Oregon trail, as he gazed the other day on a bronze statue of himself that was uncovered in a small art shop in Vienna and brought to this country by A. Weil, an Englishman.

The statue and mystery surrounding the statue were heightened by Mr. Meeker's declaration that he had not posed for the piece, did not know it was in existence and could not offer an explanation for its presence so far away from the Old West in which he spent his early days.

"There are my oxen," said the pioneer as he examined the base of the miniature statue with a magnifying glass. "Look how that horn turns down; how well I remember that."

He found that even the improvised cloth feed bin, used in going over the pioneer trails, was depicted true to life. The statue itself is Mr. Meeker in miniature. The broad-brimmed hat, the beaded Indian vest, even the gauntlets, the pioneer recognized at a glance.

Mr. Weil was unable to satisfy Mr. Meeker's curiosity regarding the origin of the statue. The method of casting bronze in Austria is familiar to Mr. Weil, he said, and could not be duplicated easily outside of the country. Mr. Weil is sure it was produced in Vienna.

Inscribed on the base, is C. Curiz, but the name does not offer any clue to the origin of the piece.

## Stock for Indian Arrow Required to Be Perfect

Every plains teepee had hanging in it a bunch of slender sticks seasoned for arrows.

If particular in the materials for his bow the brave was even more so where arrow stock was concerned. Any available hardwood, if straight and free from knots, served. When seasoned, the shaft was meticulously scraped and smoothed and feathered with various pinions. The Arapahoes and Cheyenne usually used those of the wild turkey, softened in tepid water, split and glued with a glue made from a large muscle at the back of the neck of the buffalo, writes Frank H. Huston in "Adventure."

The glue was less susceptible to climatic variations than any other used by the tribes. The final touch was given by placing an individual mark upon the shaft to identify the person who made the kill, whether of human or brute game.

Heads were made from flint, obsidian, odd bits of iron and even old barrel hoops until, toward the last of the bow and arrow days, traders carried in iron ones made in eastern and English manufacturing towns, shipped in barrels.

## Spain's Gift to Britain

Spain has recently made England a present of a model of the Santa Maria, the ship in which Columbus sailed to America, and the gift recalls others given at various times by one country to another.

Everybody has heard of the famous Liberty statue in New York. This was presented to America by France in 1884.

Some years ago the French government presented a Serres vase to the British museum. It is a magnificent specimen and very valuable.

Ancient weapons, such as guns, swords and so on, are fairly common gifts from one country to another. That which is known as "Queen Elizabeth's pocket pistol" was a gift to great Britain from the Netherlands. It was cast as long ago as 1544.—London Tit Bits.

## Detecting the Bogus

French chemists have perfected new methods of identifying pictures, according to the American Chemical society. They use groups of red, blue, green or white light to light the picture, and they examine the suspected canvas with the spectrometer. This puts in relief the retouchings, scrapings and changed signatures which constitute a false picture. By employing the ultra-violet ray they make the zinc white and certain varnishes stand out by fluorescence. By scraping off small amounts of paint they have made spectrographic analyses and have been able to determine, for example, in a false Renoir, the presence of a cadmium yellow, when Renoir only used chrome yellow.

## Keyhole in Demand

Peter was no different from other boys. Sometimes when his sister's friend would call he would entertain him in the drawing-room until Dolly came downstairs.

One night the young man asked the youngster if he ever peeped through the keyhole while he and the boy's sister were in the drawing-room.

With a sudden burst of candor, Peter answered: "Sure, when mother isn't there first!"—Boston Post.

## Scientific Facts

Dr. W. F. Watson of Athens, Ga., claims to have taken the eyes of insects and made minute lenses through which he has made photographs of various objects, thereby throwing new light on insect vision. Commenting on insulin used in the treatment of diabetes, H. A. Shonle and J. H. Waldo of Indianapolis said that this product has yet to be obtained in

## Explained

Farmer (showing friend over the farm)—How many sheep would you guess were in that flock?

Visitor (considers a moment and ventures)—About 500.

"Absolutely correct! How did you guess at it?"

"Well, I just counted the legs and divided the number by four!"—Good Hardware.

## Secret Service Tells How to Detect "Raised" Bills

The raising of United States currency above its face value by unscrupulous individuals has become so general during the past few years that the secret service has issued a general warning to all who handle large sums of money to give close watch to all currency accepted. Hotels, banks and merchants are generally the ones who receive most of the raised money.

Ninety per cent of the money in circulation in the United States is in the form of federal reserve bank notes. Ninety-five per cent of the raised currency in circulation is in these same notes. Crooks succeed in changing the figures and the letters, but they can't change the portraits. If bank tellers, department store cashiers, railroad ticket sellers and others who handle large sums of money would memorize the portraits which appear on the different denominations of federal reserve bank notes there would be very little passing of raised currency. This ought to be easy because the portraits which appear on these bills are ones which everyone remembers from school days. They are: On the \$1 federal reserve bank note, Washington, on a \$2, Jefferson; \$5, Lincoln; \$10, Jackson; \$20, Cleveland; \$50, Grant; \$100, Franklin.

## Lives of High and Low Influenced by Figures

A book published recently draws attention to a remarkable table that Seddon, the poisoner, compiled, showing how the number 13 influenced him all through his life.

Murderers seem to be particularly subject to the malign influence of figures. Chapman's lucky number was 48, and Charles Peace, was evilly influenced by 7.

The Bible is full of references to the potency of certain figures, notably 3 and 7, while both Oliver Cromwell and Napoleon had sincere convictions regarding the luck-bringing propensities of certain numerals.

In connection with this superstition there is the well-authenticated story that the famous Italian charlatan, Count Cagliostro, based his famous prediction concerning Marie Antoinette's execution and Josephine's elevation to empress by a calculation based on the number of letters in their names.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## No Ivory Famine

The elephant is a very useful animal, both for draft purposes and for ivory. A few years ago 70,000 were slaughtered annually for their tusks, so that it seemed as though there was a good chance of the big animal's becoming extinct. Wise laws, however, have checked the destruction so that the number is increasing. The war gave the elephants their chance and the British authorities in East Africa have also protected them. South of Zambesi the elephant is virtually extinct and the Cape market for ivory has ceased to exist. At present Mozambique is the center of the ivory trade. Oddly enough the Portuguese, through whose hands it comes, send nearly all the ivory across to Bombay, where it is sorted and cut and dispatched to the European markets. The world's supply of real elephant ivory is now about 250 tons a year.—Washington Post.

## The Radiometer

An instrument by which radiant heat and light may be directly converted into mechanical energy is an invention of Sir William Crookes. It consists of an exhausted globe of glass in which is a needle support carrying a rotating four-disk vane, the faces being blackened on one side. Placed in a field of light, the blackened side of each disk absorbs more of the radiant energy than the other side, and the molecules of residual air that strike it are thus given greater energy. The resulting pressure does not become quickly equalized for the two sides, as would be the case in air of the ordinary density, hence the vane rotates. An adaptation of the Crookes radiometer has been devised by Nichols of sufficient sensitiveness to detect the radiant heat of some of the fixed stars.

## The Man to Be Envyed.

I pity no man because he has to work. If he is worth his salt he will work. I envy the man who has work worth doing and does it well.—Theodore Roosevelt.

## Cast Cares on God.

He that taketh his own cares upon himself in vain with an uneasy burden, I will cast all my cares on God; He hath bidden me; they cannot burden Him.—Bishop Hall.

## Pits Instead of Silos.

The Royal Agricultural Society of England is conducting experiments with pits dug in the ground for the storage of fodder as a substitute for the more expensive tower silos.

## Divorce Suit De Luxe.

In Paris a woman recently issued cards of invitation to her friends to be present at the trial of her divorce suit.

## Making Jelly From Seaweed.

To produce fine vegetable jelly from seaweed the weed is first dried in the sun then boiled and exposed to a freezing temperature, after which all water is evaporated; then it is ready for use.

Hi Herd—"Yes, I need a man for helpin' about. Er man who can milk and drive a Ford car." Loosfoot—"Well—er—I can drive the car, but I'm darned if I can milk it."

Sea-Hares for "Spider in Cup." Sea-hares, small sluglike mollusks, were notorious among the ancients for their supposed venomous properties and were often used as ingredients of poisonous potions.

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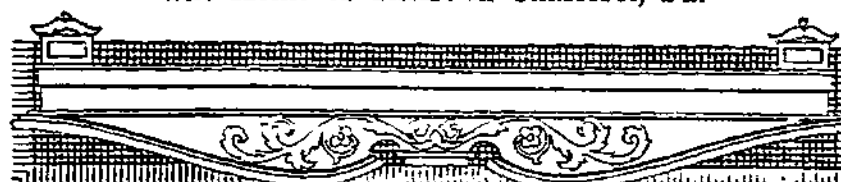
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## THE "SECRET" OF STYLE.

Prof. Clement E. Foust of the English department of Philadelphia's Central High School is quoted as saying that when he caused one of his sections to read "From Washington to Wilson," a series of addresses on Americanism, the reaction on the speeches of Wilson was so eager and alert "because of the neat and melodious phrasing," that he wrote to the ex-President telling him about it and asking whether he had any secrets of style. Mr. Wilson wrote in reply, date of January 9, 1923, from his residence in Washington, as follows: "It was very kind of you to give me the pleasure of knowing of the cordial response of your class to some of the things I have said. I do not remember that I have anywhere said anything about the art of composition. I am not fortunate enough to possess any secret of style, and feel that I owe such power of expression as I may possess altogether to the training of my father, who was himself a master of English expression.

No doubt he owed much to his father's training, but probably he owed much more to his own eye for form and ear for rhythm as he read the best writers of English prose. His disclaimer of the possession of "any secret of style" calls to mind the recent declaration of Joseph Conrad, a master in literary expression, that in writing he "never thinks" of style but only of "getting forward with the story" in the way that seems best. One is also reminded of the long-famed pronouncement of Buffon, the French Academician, that "the style is the man."

No sooner is it proposed by the House Committee on Insular Affairs to make recognition of the independence of the Philippines absolute after twenty years than it is announced from the Department of Agriculture that vast tracts of land suitable for rubber plantations have been discovered in the islands.

Among the world's great Odysseys, the thrilling tales of adventure and shipwreck from the days of Homer's Ulysses on down, front rank belong to the wireless of Major Martin who set out to circle the earth in an airplane, ran through an Alaska cloud-mist against a mountain peak, dropped unhurt into a desolation of snows, and, battling with the titanic and untamable elements of nature, finally made his way with his one companion to safety.

One of the eight Pulitzer prizes went this year to Hatcher Hughes for the "original American play performed in New York best representing the educational value and power of the stage in raising the standard of good morals, good taste and good manners." It is rather unexpected to find that the play with all these qualifications including good taste, is entitled "Hell-Bent for Heaven."

No less than 17,000 persons lost their lives in automobile accidents in the United States last year, an increase of 2,000 over 1922. This appalling showing is a part of the vengeance of Dionysus (the god of wine), according to one of the speakers in a remarkable prohibition debate ("Cornelia and Dionysus") in

Simon L. Nye thinks, as Solomon seemed to think in his day, that there are too many books. He told the Booksellers' Association that there should be fewer and better ones. The difficulty is that genius is scarce in any line, and most publishers with heavy costs and losses to make up, are looking not for literature, but for "best sellers."

Victor Berger, Socialist Congressman from Milwaukee, is still loyal to and doing all he can for Germany. He asks our government to revise the Versailles treaty, conveniently ignoring the fact that, having declined to ratify that treaty, we are not a party to and have nothing to do with it.

La Follette has threatened to head a third party ticket if the Republican convention should fail to conform to his views, which obviously it can not do without complete Old Guard surrender. In painful suspense the Republicans are afraid that La Follette will and the Democrats are afraid that he won't.

Governor Smith also wields a veto axe and it has just disappointed the Supreme Court Justices of his state who complained of their salaries of \$17,500 and were much interested in

the passage of a bill giving them \$25,000.



The smaller the town the greater the conviction that righteousness consists in doing stupid things you don't want to do.

IT SHOULD HAVE BEEN POLISH. Bald-headed Guest—Well, sonny, what is it that amuses you? Sonny—Nothing; only mother has just put a comb and brush in your bedroom.

Many people who aim to satisfy are pretty bad shots.

People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw booze parties.

When you see a man and his wife holding hands, don't jump to the sentimental conclusion—they may be having an argument.

Where's your wife "Los Angeles woman may pay her husband alimony." Read it to her.

## THE RESULT GETTER.

Dear Office Cat: Speaking of triteness (or were you?). I knew a fellow who was somewhat clumsy in the matter of writing his ONE and ONLY a letter he owed her. She typed him the following:

Dear:—  
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'Twas the night before pay-day, and all through my jeans, I hunted in vain for the ways and the means; Not a quarter was stirring, not even a jilt; The kale was off duty, the greenbacks had quit. Forward, turn forward, O Time in thy flight, and make it tomorrow just for to-night.

If none of the above, why in hell don't you answer my last letter? Yours, C. S. He answered the darn thing pronto. —Billie Bee.

A certain Charleroi girl at a dance, fearing that the waist hand of her partner would soil her dainty gown, said shyly, "Would you mind using your handkerchief?" The young man hastily drew out his handkerchief and blew his nose.

Some kinds of music may serve to alleviate pain, but not chin music.

Correct this sentence: This is a 44, said she, but the lines of it are very clever and will make you look slender.

None are so blind as those who drink wood alcohol.

He—Your little brother just saw me kiss you. What can I give him to keep him from telling?  
She—He generally gets a dollar.

Be cautious, but when a bargain is made, stick to it.

Zionist—The earth is flat.  
Modernist—The earth is round.  
Pessimist—The earth is crooked.

Consult a jeweler about how to remove hair tonic stains from ivory.—From the Chaperon, Kansas City Star.

If the jeweler fails to remove the stains use a wig.

# What the World Is Doing

As Seen by Popular Mechanics Magazine

## Giant Turbine Is Installed at Niagara

Water, pouring at the rate of 3,500 cubic feet a second on the giant turbine capacity of 454,000 horsepower. Water is of the recently completed 70,000-horse-

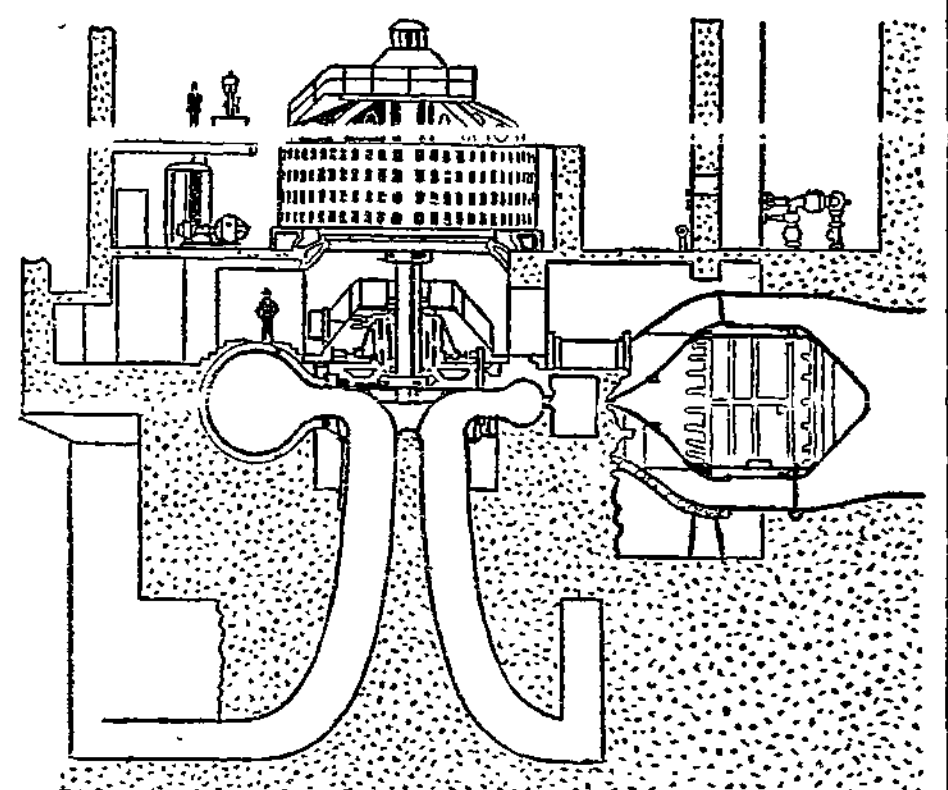


Diagram of 70,000-Horsepower Hydroelectric Unit at Niagara Falls, Showing Arrangement of Turbine and Generator, and Size of Parts Compared to a Human Figure

power hydroelectric unit of the Niagara Falls power company, does work that would require 700,000 tons of coal annually if the energy were generated by steam. So efficient is the generator said to be the largest in the world that it uses no more water than was required for seven 5,000-horsepower units formerly and of 100,000-horsepower units to be produced by fourteen of them. Specially designed cars were required to haul the castings for the turbine the revolving elements of which weigh approximately 500 tons. Nearly 93 per cent of the efficiency of the water is gained through the fine adjustment of the parts. Another similar unit is being installed and the completed

falls for this and proposed units, through a hydraulic pressure tunnel, thirty-two feet in diameter and 4,200 feet long.

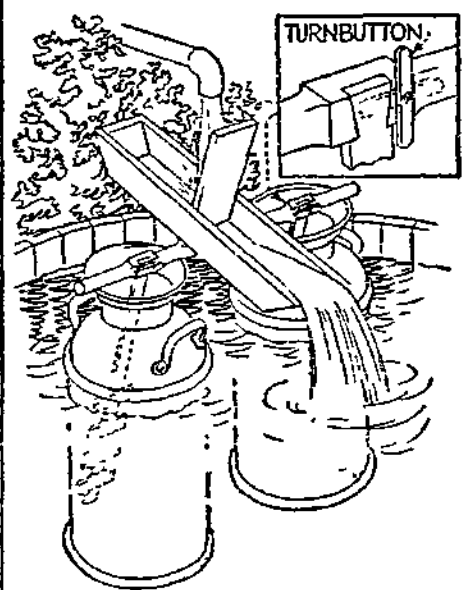
## Heart Tissue Is Still Alive after Twelve Years

Preserved in a fluid that sustains food for its cells, a piece of chicken's heart has been kept beating for twelve years by Dr. Alexis Carrel in his laboratory at the Johns Hopkins university. The fragment's twelfth anniversary in its "new life" occurred last January. The tissue was transferred directly from the beating heart of the fowl to the fluid.

## Simple Device Stirs Milk While Cooling

Fresh milk is often stirred in order to cool it, and this is usually done by hand, which is a slow and tiresome task. A simple device for doing the work automatically by water flowing into a tank, as shown in the drawing, can be made by any farmer from materials that are available.

The device consists of a shallow box, made of 1-in. pine boards. The ends are sloping and the box is divided into two equal parts by a board extending vertically in the center about 8 or 10 in. above the sides. The box is mounted at its center on a wooden axle, and a stirring paddle is attached to each end as indicated. These paddles are made from laths, planed smooth, and having a number of short crosspieces nailed on. In use, the milk cans are placed in the water tank and the stirring device arranged as shown in the drawing, the rocking-box being located under a water pipe so that the water first flows into one side and then into the other side alternately. As soon as one side of the box is filled the



weight of the water causes the box to tilt over, and the other side of the box is then filled.

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## A Word by the Proprietor, Mr. Luman:---

It is with pleasure that we are in a position to give you, the people of Monessen and vicinity, a shopping place befitting the City of Monessen. Some have criticised us, saying that Monessen did not warrant a store of this magnitude. We have taken an optimistic view in the matter and grasped the opportunity of modern merchandising in a third-class city of twenty thousand population and fifteen thousand surrounding and being prepared with all facilities to serve the public in the most modern way with the system of a large city department store. We bring one of you in the business field of Monessen for over two years, catering to your wants and receiving a good share of your patronage, assured us you were well pleased with our business methods which have encouraged us to give you the best store and service that could possibly be had. We hope to be worthy of retaining your cooperation in helping us with your patronage to put this modern enterprise over the top.

—MR. LUMAN.

## SALE NEWS

To show our gratitude to the public we wish to announce that a Grand Opening Sale will take place Friday, May 23, with the newest and best merchandise for the entire family right now for the season. Please pay us a visit and get the benefit of our Grand Opening Sale prices which will last for the balance of this month.

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## LOT OF OFFICIALS

### LOSE THEIR JOBS

Pittsburgh, May 22.—The biggest shakeup ever known in Pittsburgh's Department of Public Safety was under way today. Every police inspector, representing six districts and the traffic division was demoted, three fire chiefs, five fire captains, and ten fire lieutenants were deposed.

Successors to the ousted officials were appointed at once. Seven police lieutenants were appointed acting inspectors, and men from the ranks were named to fill the open fire department posts.

The shake-up, it was announced by C. A. Rook, director of Public Safety, was for "the good of the service."

READ THE CLASSIFIED COLUMNS—IT PAYS!

## In Society's Realm

Mrs. M. T. Crowley of McKean avenue spent yesterday in CharleROI.

Miss Anna N. Olewine, community Red Cross nurse, was a business caller in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Miss Audrey Michener and Guy Michener of Lookout avenue, were visitors in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Grable of Fallowfield avenue, spent yesterday visiting with her sister, Mrs. Phillip Davis of Monessen.

Miss Matilda Hopkins of Meadow avenue, left this morning to visit with her sister, Mrs. W. M. Davis of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. G. S. Grable of Fallowfield avenue is visiting with her brother, James K. Grable of Irwin, Pa., for several weeks.

Lawrence B. Frye of Lookout avenue left last night for Wilkes Barre, where he will spend the balance of the week attending to business interests.

Miss Celia McDermott returned to her home in Crest avenue this morning, after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. G. May Hill of Squirrel Hill, Pittsburgh.

Miss Anna Schafer returned to her home in McKean avenue last evening after an enjoyable seven-weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Pittsburgh.

Mrs. John B. Schafer and daughter, Isabel of McKean avenue, are spending the week with the former's sister, Miss Rose Klein, who is confined to her home in Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, on account of illness.

John Bohma, one of the graduates of this year's class of the CharleROI schools, was operated upon for appendicitis at the CharleROI-Monessen hospital this forenoon. His condition is reported as satisfactory.

Rev. John R. Burson, former pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, now of Clarksville, who came to this locality to conduct the funeral services of Miss Cora Beale Roler, of Belle Vernon, Tuesday afternoon, visited among his former friends and acquaintances in CharleROI for a short time.

Dr. J. W. Hunter of Washington avenue was in Pittsburgh yesterday, visiting with Mrs. Hunter and daughter Virginia, at the Allegheny General hospital. Miss Virginia, who has been a patient in that institution for the past number of weeks, is improving and it is expected that she will be able to be removed to her home within a few weeks.

Prof. and Mrs. C. C. Lively of Lookout avenue entertained at their home Tuesday the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lively, his brother, John A. Lively and sister, Miss Ola Lively of Eighty Four. Prof. Charles E. Lively, professor of rural sociology in the Ohio State College, Columbus, Ohio, and wife, were also guests at the Lively home Tuesday. Prof. C. E. Lively is a cousin of the local man.

## QUINN ADMITS HE

### ISN'T KIDNAPPED

Philadelphia, May 22.—Paul Quinn, of Pittsburgh, told police of being kidnapped at Pittsburgh and brought here has admitted to detectives that the story was untrue, according to the police. Quinn stated that instead of being kidnapped at Pittsburgh he left there in company with five other men, for a pleasure trip. He reported to having received \$81 for jury duty and started out to spend it. Upon his arrival near the vicinity of Philadelphia he declared his money was gone and he desired to return home. Having no funds he invented the kidnapping story in an attempt to arouse sympathy of his wife and get funds to enable to return to Pittsburgh.

Detectives said they wired Mrs. Quinn at Pittsburgh to send money to bring her husband home.

## GRETZ MUST STAND TRIAL FOR FORGERY

William J. Gretz, 21-year-old Homestead youth, who was arrested by local police Monday, May 12, after he attempted to pass a forged check in exchange for goods purchased at the jewelry establishment of Abe Levinson in Fallowfield avenue, and who was later turned over to the Monessen police, where he has since been held, was taken to Greenbury this morning to await trial at the next term of criminal court on charges of forgery and false pretense.

Miss Betty Pucini, 18 years old, of Duquesne, who was also implicated in the case, and with whom Gretz lived for a period of six months, is now Mrs. Gretz, the ceremony having taken place last Monday. The bride visited her husband each day at the jail and this morning was on hand to bid him farewell. She will possibly return to her parents in Duquesne.

## The Personal Side

Yesterday morning at 11:30 in the marriage of the Presbyterian church, with Rev. Hodil officiating, the marriage of P. C. Rodgers, of 21 Washington avenue, chief engineer of the Macbeth-Evans Glass company, and Mrs. Bessie Charleton, daughter of Mrs. Anna Boyd of Monongahela took place. Harris Rodgers, son of the groom was the only attendant. The bride was attired in a dark blue travelling suit with hat to correspond. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers returned to CharleROI to reside at 621 Washington avenue.

A beautiful home wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening, May 21, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hill, 102 Lookout avenue, when their daughter, Miss Etta Louise Hill and Paul W. Stone were united in marriage. The bride who is a popular piano teacher of CharleROI, was beautifully attired in a white tulle dress and carried a bridal bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Marie Hill, who wore a gown of pink crepe under net and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Harry Stone, brother of the groom served as best man. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stone of Lookout avenue, is one of the younger and successful business men of CharleROI. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. W. E. Howard of Pittsburgh, the bride's uncle and was witnessed by the immediate families of the contracting parties and a few close friends. Mrs. Heie Downes Howard, a cousin of the bride, played the wedding march. Following the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served, after which the bridal pair left for a two-weeks' automobile trip in Canada. After June 5, Mr. and Mrs. Stone will be at home in their newly furnished apartment at 637 Fallowfield avenue.

## PASTOR TAKES FORMAL CHARGE

Rev. S. R. Brown was installed Tuesday evening as pastor of the Community church at Pottsville, as successor to the Rev. George W. Pollock, who resigned last fall because of ill health. The auditorium was filled to its capacity and a very enthusiastic service was held. By appointment of Presbytery, Dr. J. W. Dunbar presided and propounded the constitutional questions. Rev. James Hamilton preached the sermon. Rev. C. L. McKee delivered the charge to the pastor, and Rev. George W. Pollock, the charge to the people.

Rev. Mr. Brown takes charge under very favorable and promising conditions. The community idea is very noticeable in this church, nine distinct denominations being represented in the membership, and the morning service taxing the capacity of the auditorium.

Ten days ago the congregation decided to build a manse for the pastor as no suitable house could be found for a dwelling. Rev. Mr. Pollock was appointed chairman of the committee to provide funds for the building. The plans call for a building to cost about \$8,000.

## ADD TO MARY'S LOOKS IMPORTANT AS 'RITHMETIC

Philadelphia, May 22.—Proper use of cosmetics so that a girl may look attractive—but not too conspicuous—is just as important as instruction in mathematics or English, according to opinions of a group of educators here who have discussed the subject and are declared to be in favor of putting such instruction in the schools.

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## Yields Two Fleeces

It is said that an Ohio farmer has a sheep which in one year yielded two fleeces, one black as ink and the other as white as snow.

## Satisfied

A single hour of "some place else" will often enable one to contentedly stay at home the rest of the evening.

## Can't See It

Those who don't like to speak in public can't comprehend the charm some people find in doing it.

## More Than King

He who reigns within himself, and rules passions, desires and fears, is more than a king.—Milton.

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Franklin D. Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of Navy in the Wilson Cabinet and Democratic Vice-Presidential candidate 4 years ago, who has taken the job of Director General of the Democratic Presidential campaign of Governor Smith, of New York. Mr. Roosevelt will head a group of Smith's adherents, among which are said to be several Republicans. Photo shows Mr. Roosevelt (left) conversing with Mr. George White, of Ohio, Chairman of the National Democratic Party.



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## Fraternal Societies Prosper Under Business Regime



CHICAGO—Total amounts paid in sick and death claims by all fraternal societies in the United States since the inception of the first fraternal society in 1868 have been \$3,793,051,322.00, according to Richard E. Kropf of Chicago, newly elected Supreme Ruler of the Royal Arcanum. The Royal Arcanum stands third among the societies with payments of \$219,185,000.

members of fraternal societies, Mr. Kropf declared, die each year.

"Fraternalism in the United States," said Mr. Kropf, "have a total membership of 10,000,000 and represent an aggregate insurance of about \$10,000,000,000. In former days members of fraternal beneficiary societies carried but a small amount of their protection with these societies, the average certificate being slightly over \$1,000. The Royal Arcanum, however, was one of the first to write amounts in excess of \$1,000, the original members, most of whom were representative business men,

due to the fact that the societies have injected business methods into their organizations. In doing this they have kept all of the fraternal advantages that have made them spiritual powers in the nation in the past. They are still brotherhoods in the best sense, but they are also up to date business concerns conducted according to business principles and directed by business men.

The Royal Arcanum, one of the oldest fraternal societies, stands for the new business type of fraternalism. Its executive officers are all professional and business men. Mr. Kropf is a graduate of Northwestern University and has practiced law in Chicago for twenty years. Among his associates are Robert Van Sande, C. Arch Williams and W. C. Shurtleff, all high in the councils of the society. The Royal Arcanum, with thousands of members in the United States and Canada, was organized in 1877 in Boston. Its assets total more than \$14,000,000.

Development of the insurance phase among fraternal societies has been rapid. The Royal Arcanum, for example, has written policies for \$1,000,000,000. The Royal Arcanum, with thousands of members in the United States and Canada, was organized in 1877 in Boston. Its assets total more than \$14,000,000.

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## NORTH CHARLEROI

Bert Hill is ill at his home on Fourth street.

Samuel Gaskill was a caller in Donora the first of the week.

Born on May 11 to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stearns, a daughter.

Hiram Foulks was a visitor at Cumberland, Md., on Saturday.

Mrs. John Meikel and children are visiting relatives at Moxahala, Ohio.

Mrs. John Wilkins was a recent visitor with relatives at Brownsville.

Louis Grasser is a business caller at Steubenville, O., for a few days.

Mrs. Thomas Cocain and Mrs. Noah Jones were callers in Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Phillips of Uniontown visited with Mr. and Mrs. William J. Foulks.

Mrs. Thomas Lowstutter of Belle

Mrs. Harry Maple.

Mrs. Fred Sutherland of Bend y. ville was a guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Conn Seal.

## Imagination Stirred by Problems of Great Spaces

I have no doubt star gazing is a fine occupation, for it leads you within the borders of the unattainable. But map gazing, to which I became addicted early, brings the problems of the great spaces of the earth into stimulating and directive contact with sane imagination and gives an honest reaction to one's imaginative faculty, writes Joseph Conrad in the National Geographic Magazine.

And the honest maps of the Nineteenth century nourished in me a passionate interest in the truth of geographical facts and a desire for precise knowledge which was extended later to other subjects.

From the middle of the Eighteenth century on, the business of map making had been growing into an honest occupation, registering the hard-won knowledge, but also, in a scientific spirit, recording the geographical ignorance of its time.

And it was Africa, the continent out of which the Romans used to say some new thing was always coming, that got cleared of the dull imaginary wonders of the Dark ages, which were replaced by exciting spaces of white paper. Regions unknown! My imagination could depict to itself these worthy, adventurous men nibbling at the edges, attacking from north and south and east and west, conquering a little of each, and a little of each, there and sometimes swallowed up by the mystery their hearts were so persistently set on unravelling.

## "Brush" Used for Removing Deposits From Ship's Hull

It is reported that an Australian engineer has introduced in England an ingenious method of cleaning the outside of the hull of a ship. The invention has been in successful operation for a number of years in Australia and has been tried at Southampton and Plymouth.

The apparatus is mounted upon a suitable frame, which can be suspended from the side of a boat. It consists of a cylindrical brush about five or six feet in length, held in a framework which also supports an electric motor and a propeller. The purpose of the propeller is to keep the brush pressed against the side of the ship. The case carrying the apparatus contains also a four-cylinder petroleum motor directly coupled to a dynamo. The current produced serves to raise and lower the carrying frame as well as to drive the propeller and brush. As the appliance operates under water the motor and gearing are enclosed in a water-tight box. The motor is capable of removing the most stubborn deposits and can thoroughly clean the hull of an 800-ton ship in from six to seven hours.

## Flea's Wonderful Eyesight

Fleas have far better sight than men. A German scientist who has been investigating fleas makes this disclosure, saying their sight is so sharp that when a man is sleeping at night under a blanket in a darkened room his body glows to a flea as brightly as a red hot stove appears to a man in a darkened room. Man is far behind many animals in both sight and hearing, the scientist finds; the human ear catches only a small percentage of the myriad tone waves and as human eyes do not react to ultra-violet beams much is lost to man which reaches eyes of a lower order.

## Earwig Becomes Nuisance

The European earwig, introduced in this country from Europe where it is very common, has multiplied here so rapidly that it has become quite a pest, especially in Washington, Oregon and Idaho. The Department of Agriculture is experimenting with two parasites of the earwig with a view of checking the spread of the nuisance to other parts of the country. The insects devour earwigs voraciously but the insects are so hidden during the day that fleas can hardly be considered as an important factor in controlling them. Tents cut them rapidly. Poison baits and sprays furnish other means of control.

## Bone Weights Differ

As a result of weighing the various parts of 100 skeletons, Dr. N. W. Jacobs of Western Reserve university, deduced the bones of the right arm and leg, probably because of more frequent use, are heavier than those of the left. According to Prof. W. G. Waterman of Northwestern university, the same kind of bones which grew during the last glacial age some 50,000 years ago, are still to be found in a small park near Logan Pass, Mont., where they were left by the ice.

## Duck Had Free Ride

When Allen Barker of Nashua, N. H., went to his garage to get his machine he saw a large white duck perched on the bumper. Barker recalled that late the night before while returning from Lowell, something white, resembling a piece of paper, struck the front of the machine about ten miles from Nashua. Believing that the paper would blow off, he continued home. The duck was none the worse for the trip.

## Improved Room Light

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**FOR SALE—\$5,200; 7-room house, with bath and garage for two cars. Located Lock 4. Inquire E. J. Charles, Trust Company. 2411f**

**FOR SALE—A fine country home. New bungalow of 5 rooms and bath, cemented cellar, furnace, large cistern, 2 1-4 acres 4 foot vein of coal. Some fruit trees. Near good road, 2 miles from town. Possession at once. A fine place to raise chickens. Garage for one car. D. N. Hall, Bell Phone 193-R, Local 29-Y. 2461f**

**FOR SALE—75 Second Handed Automobiles, including Durants, Elgins, Dodges, Chevrolets and Fords. We have very low prices and easy terms. Come quick and get a bargain. William M. Sloterbeck, Fayette City, Pa. 2641f**

**FOR SALE—6 acre farm, all tillable, suitable for truck farm, fruit trees, vines, plenty of water with 6 room house, implement and stock all for \$7000.00, located close to town. Inquire E. J. Charles, Trust Co. 2811f**

**FOR SALE—New 124 Nash Carriolet Sedan (4 cylinder) fully equipped with all extras. Can be bought at a big reduction on our G. M. A. C. easy payment plan. Spencer Garage, Phones 37, Charleroi. 2931f**

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**FOR SALE—Plants and flowers of all kinds. Get them at Ed. Job's, 614 Meadow avenue. 2801f**

**FOR SALE—Three room house, good cellar, 2 lots, 25x163 feet. Inquire 823 Lookout avenue. 2941f**

**FOR SALE—6 room house and bath. Household goods cheap. Own or moving away. Call 604 Eighth street, Charleroi. 2941f**

**FOR SALE—Jersey cow, fresh, with 2 calves. Also year old calf. Must be sold at once. House No. 28, Water. 2951f**

**FOR SALE—1922 Ford Coupe, excellent condition. A demonstration will convince you. Can be bought on our G. M. A. C. easy payment plan. Spencer Garage, Phones 37, Charleroi, Pa. 2961f**

**FOR SALE—8 room house can be bought at very low price if sold this week. Owner leaving town. Call 604 Eighth street. 2961f**

**FOR SALE—Beautiful hall rack. Cheap. Inquire 604 Eighth St. 2961f**

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**Croesus, king of Lydia, in Asia Minor, was famous in antiquity for his great wealth, says the Detroit News. Tradition says that this was principally obtained from the golden sands of the River Pactolus, which flowed through his dominions, but the true source of his riches is probably found in the industry of the Lydian people. The value of his landed property has been estimated at \$3,333,380. The expression, "As rich as Croesus," has passed into a proverb.**

### Origin of "Deadhead."

Deadhead is the literal translation of the Latin phrase, caput mortuum, which was much used by old chemists to denote the residuum of chemicals when all their volatile matter had escaped; hence the word is figuratively used of anything from which all that rendered it valuable has been taken away. Spectators or passengers who do not pay are not valuable, from

### Outdated Authors.

Outdated history is mainly unreadable—Robertson and Hume, for instance. Motley and Prescott survive, because, so far as I am concerned, they are not outdated. Macaulay is good reading still, so Carlyle, so Michelet, though you need not believe a word they say. But you don't read them for the facts, rather for the impression the facts make upon them—Maurice Eglyett.

**FOR SALE—Upholstered swing, boy's new bicycle, hot plate and oven, army cot and mattress, taboret and clothes wringer. 733 Broad avenue, Belle Vernon. Phone 47-J. 2961f**

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**FOR SALE—McKean avenue; good six room house, all accommodations; and 4 room house in rear, with gas, electric, inside commode. A good bargain at \$7400. Inquire E. J. Charles, Charleroi, Pa. 2961f**

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**FOR RENT—Furnished room. Gas, electric and water. 503 Washington avenue, third floor. 2961f**

**FOR RENT—Apartments containing 3 to 6 rooms, garden plots, near Lock Four. COLLINS-MOODY REALTY CO., 413 Fallowfield Ave. 2431f**

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**FOR RENT—Big room suitable for meeting hall. Located on Seventh street. See M. Dubinsky, 407 Fallowfield avenue, second floor. 2931f**

**FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms. Private porch. Bath and laundry. 135 Fallowfield avenue. 2941f**

**FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentleman. Inquire 316 Washington avenue. 2941f**

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**FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 405 Sixth street. 2931f**

**FOR RENT—4 room flat. Inquire 323 McKean avenue. 2951f**

**FOR RENT—4 room flat, third floor. Inquire M. Dubinsky, second floor, 407 Fallowfield avenue. 2961f**

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**WANTED—Night cook, experienced only. Lee's Restaurant. 2961f**

**WANTED—Family washings to be done at home. Inquire House No. 14, Shovel Row, Charleroi. 2961f**

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**WANTED—Advertising solicitor for the Palace Theatre program. Apply at the Theatre. 221f**

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**WANTED—Paperhanging to do by mechanic. Drop postal. Will call. Box 81, Allenport, Pa. 2951f**

**WANTED—Solicitor. Lady between 20 and 40 years of age. Apply People's Store, 526 Fallowfield avenue. 2961f**

**WANTED—Washings to do at home. 704 Washington avenue. 2961f**

### LOST

**LOST—Strayed or Stolen: German police dog, color, brown and Wolf gray. Height 20 to 24 inches. Answers to the name of "Big Boy." Suitable reward if found. Notify J. I. Thirkield, Bell Phone 52-M, Fayette City, Pa. 2346f**

## Items From Allenport

Miss Mary Barnum was a caller in Fayette City Saturday evening.

Captain and Mrs. Gee have returned home from a motor trip to various points in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Harper of this place motored to Perryopolis Sunday and visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Godfrey and daughter Shirley, visited with Mrs. Shirley Griffith of Speers Sunday.

"Buddy," small son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard O'Neil of Allenport, who has been suffering from pneumonia, is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Black and family, Frank Moody and Mrs. Charles Flanagan, motored to Flatwoods yesterday and spent a very enjoyable day.

The towboat Luzerne of this place is taking place of the steamer Frank Fowler, towing between Lock Four and Stockdale with Captain Tortor in charge.

Miss Geradine Black of Grasso is a guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ligon of Fayette City were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Desellems.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fuller of Vandeventer were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Affrue.

Steve Horvath, who has been a patient in the Marine hospital for several weeks has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zoller spent the week-end with the tonner's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Zoller of Pittsburgh.

Franklin Rockwell of Meadville was a guest on Wednesday of L. grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rockwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Gaskill and daughter Norma Jean of Donora were guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gaskill.

Murray Moore and daughter Miss Elizabeth of Edgewood were guests on Sunday of Mr. William Stepanian of Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Katz have returned home from a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Erdene of New Kensington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flaniken and children spent Sunday with Mr. Flaniken's sister Mrs. Brant Provins of Uniontown.

Mrs. Helen Thompson and son, Malcolm and John Wilkins, Jr. of Conaopolis were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCann and children have returned home from a week end visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Remick of Greenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mobler and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. M. Stills of Morgantown, W. Va. were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cluons and children of Moxahala, Miss Marian Bohlander and Harry O'Brien of Pittsburgh were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Yest.

Mrs. A. J. Watters and daughter, Miss Lottie of Rices Landing were guests on Sunday of the former's daughter and family, M. and Mrs. Bert Strauser.

Mrs. Hudson Isaac and daughter, Effie Jane have returned from a two-weeks visit with relatives at Latrobe. They were accompanied home by Mr. Isaac who spent the week-end there.

Miss Aeres Grasser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grasser of Conrad avenue underwent an operation Tuesday at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital. She is getting along very nicely.

Mrs. William Innes and children of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Mary Calvert of Dubois and John Raisbeck of Pittsburgh were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bollinger and Mr. and Mrs. James Raisbeck.

Mrs. Thomas Lee entertained the members of the Tuesday evening 300 Club at her home on Isabelle avenue with a full attendance. Card favors were awarded to Miss Rose Lundy and Mrs. Burkhardt. At a later hour a nice luncheon was served by the

Mrs. Amelia Thompson, and Mrs. George Summerville of Salem, Ohio, and Mrs. Charles Meille of Cleveland, Ohio, were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. William Wells. They also visited with Mrs. James Wells, who is a patient at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital as the result of a fall, thus breaking her hip. As she is quite aged, she is improving very slowly.

### Notice To Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by the borough council of Charleroi Borough, Washington County, Pa., at the Council Chambers, Borough Building until 8:30 o'clock p. m., June 3, 1924, and then publicly opened and read, for furnishing materials and labor for grading, paving and curbing Lockout Avenue, in said Borough between Fifth and Sixth streets.

The approximate quantities of this contract consists of 780 cubic yards of excavation and 900 square yards of paving.

Alternative bids are required for paving with vitrified brick, concrete and rock asphalt.

Certified check equaling 5 per cent of total amount of bid must accompany each proposal.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of A. A. McDonald, borough engineer, Municipal Building Charleroi, Pa.

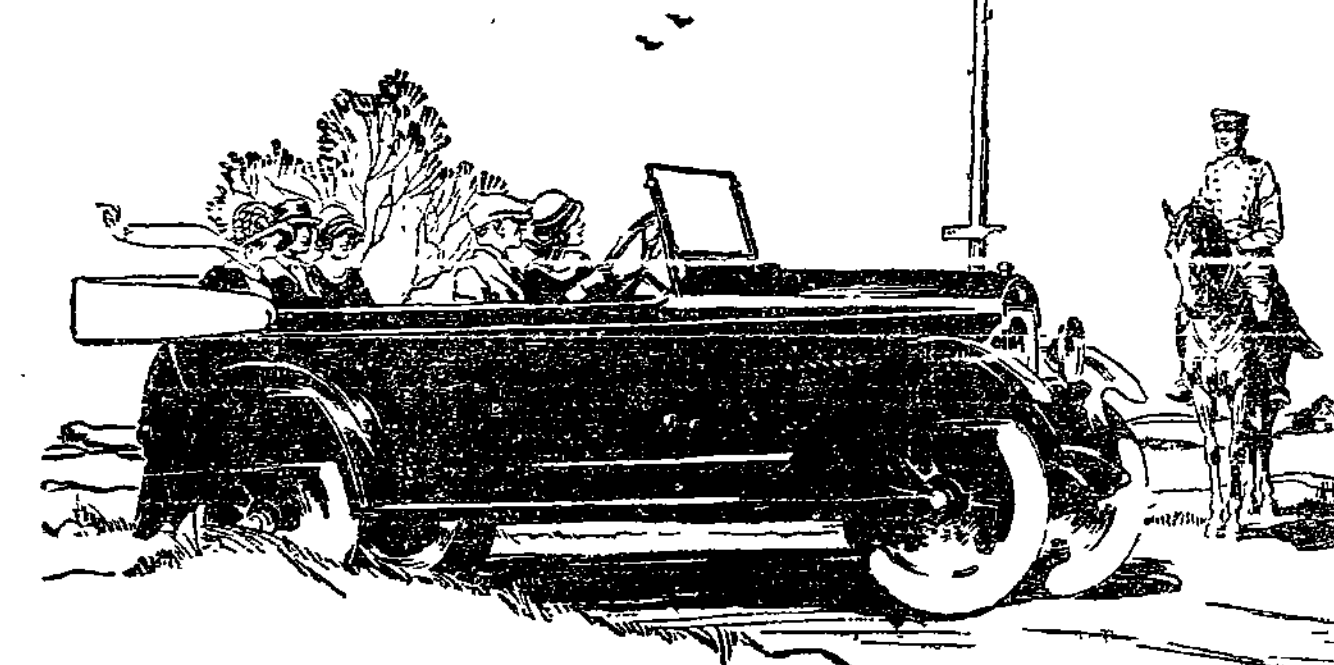
Charleroi Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Hugh E. Fergus, President of Council.

May 20-22-24-26-28

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